

Message Text

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ACTION L-03

INFO OCT-01 NEA-10 ISO-00 PM-04 CIAE-00 INR-07 NSAE-00
COME-00 DODE-00 DOTE-00 EB-07 FMC-02 CG-00
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FM AMEMBASSY KUWAIT
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 8017
INFO CNO WASHDC
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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: OCLR KU MILI
SUBJECT: STATUS OF USNS POINT-TO-POINT TANKERS

REF: (A) STATE 106685 (NOTAL), (B) COMSC 221706Z
DEC 76 (NOTAL).

1. REF A DESCRIBED VARYING IMMUNITY UNDER INTERNATIONAL LAW OF VESSELS OWNED BY USG, "OPERATED BY" USG UNDER BAREBOAT CHARTER, AND VESSELS "OPERATED BY" USG UNDER TIME OR VOYAGE CHARTERS. REF B LISTED A NUMBER OF POINT-TO-POINT TANKERS OPERATED "FOR THE U.S. GOVERNMENT" BY THREE US FIRMS AND REQUESTED CLEARANCE FOR THESE "USNS" TANKERS (WHICH EMBASSY HAS OBTAINED).
2. REQUEST DEPARTMENT INFORM US WHETHER THE FOLLOWING VESSELS, LISTED REF B, ARE ALL UNDER TIME OR VOYAGE CHARTERS OR WHETHER THERE ARE ANY BAREBOAT CHARTERS AMONG THEM:

SEALIST ATLANTIC AMERICAN EXPLORER
SEALIST ARTIC MAUMEE
SEALIFT ANTARCTIC POTOMAC
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SEALIFT ARABIAN SEA SHOSHONE
SEALIFT CHINA SEA YUKON
SEALIFT CARIBBEAN HUDSON
SEALIFT INDIAN OCEAN NECHES
SEALIFT MEDITERRANEAN COLOMBIA
SEALIFT PACIFIC SUSQUEHANNA
MAESTRONE

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Message Attributes

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Disposition Case Number: n/a
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